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CHAPTER 430.

AN ACT relating to the manner and time of payment of employes.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Whenever any person, corporation, company or association who may be engaged in lumbering or building, or in the manufacture of lumber, within this state, shall defer payment of wages earned by any of their employes after the work for which they have been hired has been performed, said employers, upon demand shall give to said employes written evidence of indebtedness, which shall be negotiable for all amounts due such employes, and which shall be made payable at the date agreed upon.

Negotiable papers to be given when payment of wages deferred.

SECTION 2. Any person, corporation or association, who shall refuse to give to an employe, written evidence of indebtedness, as aforesaid, for any money due or to become due to their employes, as aforesaid, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine of not more than fifty dollars.

Penalty for neglect or refusal.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved April 24, 1891.